

# THE BEACON

“For God so loved the world that he gave  
his only Son, so that everyone who be-  
lieves in him may not perish but have eter-  
nal life.”

John 3:16

## Back to the Basics



### Sunday Morning Worship in July

During the month of July we will be worshipping around the theme of John 3:16. Each Sunday will emphasize a different part of this well known scripture. Our contemporary worship each Sunday will be designed to draw us back to the basics of the Gospel: **Love, Gives, Believes, and Life.**

Likewise we will move the congregation each Sunday toward the front of the sanctuary. We hope that you will join us each Sunday as we go back to the basics.

## Kid of the Month

Name: Tripp Carrington  
 Church connections: Merit, Bobby and Norah Carrington  
 Age: 8  
 Grade/School: 3rd, Crestwood Elementary  
 What do you like to do for fun: Play with my Dad  
 Favorite superhero: Star Wars  
 Favorite thing about church: Mints  
 Favorite sport: Swim  
 Favorite toy: Lego  
 Favorite movie: Star Wars - The Force, Wiggings



## Patriotic Breakfast and Assembly

Sunday, July 5 at 9:30

Celebrate our Freedom before  
 Sunday School



## Church Picnic and Pool Party



Sunday, July 12

3~7 pm

Brighton Green Community Center

609 North Pinetta Drive

Richmond, Virginia

\$3 per person (\$12 max for family)

Additional \$3.50 if you would like to swim (sign up ahead of time)

Church will provide chicken and beverages.

Sign up to bring a side dish or a dessert.

Air conditioned facility, playground, and games.



July Birthdays

- 1: Meaghan Thacker  
Richard Johnstone
- 9: Jessie Floyd
- 11: Mike Clark
- 13: Jack Vipperman
- 14: Jean Hill
- 18: Lindsey Turner
- 22: Carla Vipperman
- 24: Beth Wang

Special Gifts

Contributions were made to the  
Endowment Fund in memory of:  
*Marion McCook, Clara, Robert and James Hagan,  
Billy Walker, Billy Wells*

Contributions were made to the  
General Fund in memory of:  
*Billy Walker, William Nunnalie*

Anniversaries

- 1: Amy and Matt Jones
- 9: Glenn and Claudia Neal
- 11: Jack and Carla Vipperman
- 16: Philip and Jennifer Turner

“Be the Light”

General Fund Giving Report

**Needed to Date: \$132,544**

**Given to Date \$119,769**

**Variance: - \$12,775**

**\*includes Verizon payments**

**Thank You**

I want to thank my church family for their many cards, visits, and calls during my recent surgeries. Annis and I hope to be back soon.

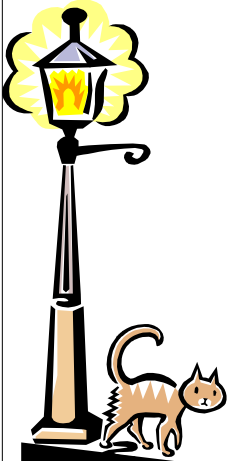
Charlotte Blair

**Quarterly Business Meeting**  
**Wednesday, July 8**  
**6:45 pm**

**SAVE THE DATE!**

Welcome Back  
VCU Students Cookout  
Sunday, August 30





Pine Street Baptist Church  
400 South Pine Street  
Richmond, Virginia

We're on the web:  
[pinestbaptist.com](http://pinestbaptist.com)

## Vacation Bible School

Marketplace 33 AD  
Vacation Bible Scholl 2015  
July 13-16  
5:45 - 8:30 p.m.



*Happy  
Anniversary*

On July 1st, Dr. Philip Turner will celebrate his 24th anniversary as pastor of Pine St. Baptist Church. We have been very blessed to have him as our Pastor and friend to the community. As we continue to grow and serve the community we look forward to many more years with him as our leader and friend.

The Personnel Committee